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The United States Attorney's Office serves as the principal litigator for its judicial district and is responsible for coordinating multiple agency investigations within the district. The United States Attorney has the responsibility and authority to prosecute violations of federal criminal statutes, defend the government in civil actions, seek the enforcement of a variety of civil enforcement statutes, and institute proceedings for the collection of fines and penalties among other things.

**Projected No.
of Volunteers:** 3

**Internship
Location(s):** Memphis, TN

**Application
Materials:** Cover letter, resume and law school transcript (official and unofficial), and telephone number(s) where student can be reached during the day and in the evening.

Qualifications: Second-year law students. **Must be a U. S. citizen** and will be subject to a background investigation due to the sensitive nature of work performed by the office.

**Application
Deadline:** January 31, 2003

**Minimum Weeks
Required:** 6 - 10 weeks

Salary: Volunteer (without compensation) or work-study credit

Assignments: Interns will provide assistance to Assistant United States Attorneys. Typical assignments will include performing legal research, drafting motions in pending cases, assembling exhibits for trial, observing hearings and trials, and drafting briefs for review/approval of attorneys.

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